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## MEDIA ADVISORY

# GW PROFESSOR TO ATTEND PARIS CONFERENCE OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS LEADERS

Professor Eileen Mahoney available for commentary/analysis of Global Communications Issues

Eileen Mahoney, Ph.D., associate professor of communication at The George Washington University, will attend the Networked Economy Conference this week (March 10-11) in Paris, France. During the conference, executives of telecommunications service providers and equipment manufacturers from around the world will discuss the economic, technological, cultural and political implications of continuing developments in international communications policy and technology.

With the expanding role of international telecommunications in today's global marketplace, decisions made as a result of this conference could affect the policies of the Clinton Administration.

Dr. Mahoney, who teaches in the Radio-Television program of GW's National Center for Communication Studies, will conduct interviews with leading telecommunications decision makers while in Paris. She will be available for print and broadcast assignments upon her return March 15.

For information about Dr. Mahoney's availability, please contact Sam Silverstein of the GW Office of Public Affairs at (202) 994-6460.



# NEWS

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### CBS EXECUTIVE EDWARD GREBOW ELECTED TO GW BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Washington, DC -- Edward Grebow, senior vice president, operations and administration, CBS Inc., has been elected to the Board of Trustees of The George Washington University, Chairman Oliver T. Carr, Jr. announced. Grebow was elected to a three-year-term as a charter member at the board's Feb. 10 meeting.

Edward Grebow was named to the post of senior vice president, operations and administration, CBS Inc., in February, 1988. He is responsible for management information systems, facilities, personnel, broadcast operations and engineering and general administration for CBS Inc. He also represents CBS on the Board of Directors of CBS/MTM Studios.

Since 1985, Mr. Grebow had been executive vice president of The Bowery Savings Bank with responsibilities that included bank operations, data processing, personnel, branch operations and expense control. From 1972 to 1985, he was with Morgan Guaranty Trust Company. His positions during that time included vice president, chief operating officer of Morgan Bank (Delaware); chair, Morgan Data Services and vice president, J.P. Morgan Co.

Mr. Grebow serves as treasurer and a director of the Theater Development Fund and as a director of the Avenue of the Americas Association and The Delaware Valley Opera. In 1991, Governor Mario Cuomo appointed Mr. Grebow to the New York State Hospital Review and Planning Council, the state agency that regulates hospital and health care in New York.

Mr. Grebow holds a degree in accounting and finance from The George Washington University (BBA 1971). He has been honored as Alumnus of the Year by the GW New York City Alumni Club.

The George Washington University, located four blocks from The White House, was created by an Act of Congress in 1821. Today, GW is the largest higher education institution in the nation's capital. The University offers comprehensive programs of undergraduate and graduate liberal arts study as well as degree programs in medicine, law, engineering, education, business/public management and international affairs. Each year GW enrolls a diverse population of 19,000 undergraduate, graduate and professional students from all 50 states and 120 countries.



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Illinois Task Force on Crime and Corrections Accepts
Four Recommendations from GW Law Professor
Jonathan Turley's Project for Older Prisoners (POPS)

Recommendations advocate Nursing Home Facilities,
Home Detention and Other Concessions for Older Prisoners

Washington, DC -- The Illinois Task Force on Crime and Corrections has included four recommendations from GW Law Professor Jonathan Turley's Project for Older Prisoners (POPS) in its package of 26 proposals sent to Illinois Governor James Edgar.

"Illinois is significant because it is one of the nation's largest prison systems and is viewed as a model jurisdiction," said Turley, professor of law at The George Washington University National Law Center and director of POPS. "The accepted recommendations will have far-reaching implications for prison systems throughout the United States. In adopting the POPS recommendations, Illinois is close to implementing a model comprehensive package of legislative and policy reform for older prisoners."

The POPS recommendations include: The creation of a POPS office in Illinois; the creation of a 350-bed "prison nursing home;" the creation of a pilot program of electronic detention for older prisoners; and the passage of a new compassionate release law for chronically ill prisoners. "By accepting the POPS recommendations, the task force has recognized that older prisoners must be part of any solution to chronic overcrowding in large prison systems," said Turley.

Founded by Professor Turley in 1989 as a pro bono project at Tulane Law School in New Orleans Louisiana, POPS has been the national leader in developing new legislation and policies for older prisoners in both the federal and state systems. Turley opened a second office in Washington when he joined The George Washington University National Law Center faculty in 1990. POPS has been credited with drawing attention to the older prisoner population which is expected to reach 125,000 prisoners by the year 2000.

POPS does not charge for its services. The offices are run by law students, roughly 200 in Louisiana and 75 in D.C., who work without compensation. The two independent POPS offices continue to operate with both legislative and prison review projects. In addition to working with six states on a continual basis, POPS assists legislation and policy initiatives across the country.

The Illinois Task Force on Crime and Corrections includes 29 legal and political leaders who have studied the problems of crime and prisons in Illinois since February, 1992.



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ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON AND JAMES MORAN
TO DISCUSS REGIONAL ISSUES AT G.W. CONFERENCE

April 30 Event entitled "Cooperation Instead of Conflict: Regional Choices for the 1990s"

What:

"Cooperation Instead of Conflict: Regional Choices

for the 1990s"

Where:

The George Washington University

Dorothy Betts Marvin Theatre

800 21st Street, NW

(Two blocks from the Foggy Bottom Metro)

When:

Friday, April 30 9:00 a.m. to noon

# Background:

Sponsored by The George Washington University Department of Public Administration and the GW Public Administration Alumni Advisory Council, the colloquium will be moderated by Tom Sherwood of WRC TV Channel 4. Planned discussion topics include transportation policy, taxation, economic development and environmental concerns.

United States Representative James Moran and Washington, D.C., delegate to the U.S. House of Representatives Elector Holmes Norton will join Ruth Crone, executive director, Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments, in discussing common political, economic and social issues facing the greater Washington area.

The 1993 G.W. Colloquium will provide an important forum for the discussion of some of the most challenging issues facing our communities today. The Alumni Advisory Council plans to facilitate further interaction by encouraging the exchange of contact information and regional cooperation concerns among the audience.

There is an admission charge of \$4.00 payable at the door for the general public. Students are admitted free. For more information, contact Mindy Feldbaum, (202) 994-6296; Dion Anderson, (703)883-4290; or Robert Goldenkoff, (202) 512-2757.